

## Message Text

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ACTION EA-09

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 VO-03 SCA-01 SS-15 NSC-05 SP-02 L-03

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FM USLO PEKING

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4705

INFO AMCONSUL HONG KONG

C O N F I D E N T I A L PEKING 2131

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CVIS,CH (CHANG Y.L.)

SUBJ: WAIVER OF NIV PERSONAL APPEARANCE REQUIREMENT

REF: STATE 259164

1. USLO CONOFF MET WITH MFA CONSULAR AFFAIRS  
DIVISION CHIEF CHANG JUI NOVEMBER 10 AND INFORMED  
HIM OF CONTENTS PARA 2 REFTEL.
2. CHANG ASKED SEVERAL QUESTIONS TO CLARIFY EXACTLY  
WHEN VISA ISSUING OFFICER DECIDES WHETHER PERSONAL  
APPEARANCE CAN BE WAIVED. CONOFF MADE IT CLEAR THAT  
DECISION IS ON CASE-BY-CASE BASIS AFTER REVIEW OF  
COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS.
3. CHANG POINTED OUT THAT U.S. AND PRC REGULATIONS  
WOULD BE IN CONFLICT AT POINT WHERE USLO DECIDED NOT  
TO WAIVE PERSONAL INTERVIEW. HE SAID HE WOULD REPORT  
USG'S VIEWS TO HIS LEADERSHIP AND THAT THERE MIGHT  
BE NEED FOR FURTHER "DISCUSSION" ON THE MATTER.
4. USLO IS SENDING 257A(E) TO CHANGS VIA OCTS.  
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